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SUBJECT: COCOM CRITERIA: UK-US BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS

1. REQUEST USDEL SUBMIT TO COCOM AS A US PROPOSAL THE
ATTACHMENT TO THE ROOT AUGUST 4 LETTER TO MURPHY OF UK
EMBASSY WASHINGTON WITH REQUEST THAT COCOM CONSIDER THIS
PROPOSAL WITH THE BELGIUM OBSOLESCENCE PROPOSAL WHICH
COMES UP ON THE AGENDA FOR OCTOBER 11.

2. FYI: DURING SEPTEMBER 6 CALL, UK EMBOFF MURPHY
INDICATED THAT UK WOULD PREFER ABOVE APPROACH RATHER
THEN PRESENTING PROPOSAL AS UK DOCUMENT. UK
REPRESENTATIVE WILL LEND GENERAL SUPPORT BUT WILL MAKE
INDEPENDENT COMMENTS ON POINTS OF DIFFERENCE:
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(A) UK WOULD PREFER TO SEE WORD "STRATEGICALLY" ADDED
BEFORE "SIGNIFICANT" IN PARA A(1) AND WORD "ECONOMIC"
BETWEEN "POLITICAL" AND "SECURITY" IN PARA D.2(G). RE
LATTER UK WOULD BE PREPARED TO ACCEPT AN INTERPRETIVE
STATEMENT BY USDEL THAT "POLITICAL" COVERS POLITICAL-
ECONOMIC CONSIDERATIONS;

(B) UK DOES NOT CONSIDER THAT PARA D.2(F) ADDS ANYTHING TO THE EXISTING EXCEPTIONS PROCEDURES AND IS PREPARED TO DELETE EQUIVALENT PARAGRAPH FROM ITS ORIGINAL PROPOSAL PROVIDED WE WITHDRAW OURS. UK APPARENTLY VIEWS THIS PARAGRAPH AS US ATTEMPT TO MAKE DE MINIMUS RULES MORE RESTRICTIVE (FOR REASONS WE DO NOT UNDERSTAND) AND

(C) UK PREFERS TO RETAIN (WE PREFER TO DELETE) WORDS "SO FAR AS PRACTICABLE" FROM PARAGRAPH E. UK DOUBTS OTHER COCOM MEMBERS WOULD AGREE TO DELETION.

3. WE ARE STUDYING THE BRITISH POINTS TO SEE IF FURTHER HARMONIZATION IS POSSIBLE. VANCE

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